

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Competitive Product Prices
Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service
Contract 100 (MC2019-140)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2019-154

PUBLIC REPRESENTATIVE COMMENTS ON
POSTAL SERVICE NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO
PRIORITY MAIL & FIRST-CLASS PACKAGE SERVICE
CONTRACT 100

(April 13, 2020)

The Public Representative hereby provides comments pursuant to the Commission's Notice in this docket.¹ In that Order, the Commission established the above referenced docket to receive comments from interested persons, including the undersigned Public Representative, on a Postal Service Notice of Amendment to Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 100.² The Postal Service's Notice includes a certified statement as required by 39 C.F.R. § 3015.5, a public (redacted) version of the Amendment to Priority Mail Contract 100, and supporting financial data estimating the contract value during the first year.

In Order No. 5107, the Commission approved the Postal Service's request to add a new product identified as Priority Mail Contract 100 to the Competitive Product List.³

¹ Notice Initiating Docket(s) for Recent Postal Service Negotiated Service Agreement Filings, April 6, 2020.

² USPS Notice of Amendment to Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 100, Filed Under Seal, April 3, 2020. (Notice)

³ See Order No. 5107, Order Adding Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 100 to the Competitive Product List, Docket No. MC2019-140/CP2019-154, May 29, 2019.

The instant amendment amends the terms of Sections I.B., I.D., multiple tables in I.F., adds Table A.1. in Section I.B., and replaces Section IV.. Attachment A at 1.

The effective date for the Amendment to Contract 100 is three (3) business days following the day on which the Commission issues all necessary regulatory approvals. , *Notice* at 1.

COMMENTS

The Public Representative has reviewed the Postal Service's Amendment to Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 100 and the financial data filed under seal with the Postal Service's Notice. Based upon that review, the Public Representative concludes that Contract 100, as amended, should continue to generate sufficient revenues to cover costs and thereby satisfy 39 U.S.C. § 3633(a) and thus should be approved by the Commission.

Finally, the Postal Service must file revenue and cost data for Contract 100 in future Annual Compliance Reports. This data will permit the Commission to annually review the financial results for Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 100 in a future Annual Compliance Determination (ACD) report for compliance with 39 U.S.C. § 3633(a).

The Public Representative respectfully submits the foregoing comments for the Commission's consideration.

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